

The Bee
"By Industry we Thrive."

LOCAL NEWS.

Misses Eula Odham and Dona Wood were in Morton's Gap Tuesday.

R. P. Farnsworth and family, of Henderson, visited relatives here this week.

Miss Laura Ligon spent last week with her brother, Rev. J. W. Ligon, at Trenton.

Mr. Frank Pettit, of Philadelphia, an old friend of Mr. John B. Atkinson, is a guest of the latter.

Misses Lelia and Emmerine Wilson, of Madisonville, spent a few days with friends here, last week.

Wallie L. Phillips, who is attending Brothers' Business College, Green, spent last week with her parents here.

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SAVED LIVES AND PROPERTY.

Andy Hawkins Flings a Fast Freight Train and Prevents a Wreck.

Last Wednesday night Andy Hawkins, a colored man who for some years has been in the employ of the St. Bernard Coal Co. at this place, discovered a horse in a trestle near the old Fleming mines and, quickly preparing a torch, flagged a fast freight train north bound, probably saving lives and much property.

Andy lives near the curve and while at supper heard the horse struggling in the trestle, and went promptly to see what was the matter. His promptness and thoughtfulness is most commendable and he was most warmly thanked by the train crew whose lives he had probably saved. W. H. Leahy was conductor, and engineer Carney was at the throttle.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHERRY & Co., Props., Toledo, O., have analyzed the famous F. J. Cherry for the last 65 years, and believe him perfectly honest in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him. West & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. WALKING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, New York.

An Announcement.

L. O. Brumfield, formerly editor of the Hopkinsville Banner, will open a grocery in the Moayan Block, second door from the post-office, next Saturday morning. Will be glad to see his old friends of the Banner.

The Greatest Discovery Yet.

W. M. Repine, editor Tiskilwa, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experienced with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as it has a certain and sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington.

The growth of girls is greatest in their fifteenth year, of boys in their seventeenth.

Consumption can often be prevented by giving attention to a cold, whether slight or severe. A cold quickly disappears when Dr. B. E. P. Pine Tar Honey. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; George King, St. Charles.

A man who wanted to borrow \$2 and give his note for a year was one of the applicants at a Rockland, Me., bank.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Broomo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington, Ky.

Colorado expects to receive not less than \$6,000,000 from the State's big fruit crop this year, the greatest the Centennial State has ever known.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Tramps are getting unusually desperate in some portions of the State. They are killing hogs and young beavers to stop the pangs of hunger.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chalks, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c per box. For Sale by St. Bernard Drug Store.

The Postoffice Department will extend the rural free delivery service as soon as the necessary appropriation can be obtained.

All claims for Dr. B. E. P. Pine Tar Honey are substantiated by the reports from those who have used it. Coughs, colds, influenza, and all bronchial affections are diseases in which it is especially efficacious. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; George King, St. Charles.

The Paducah Elks are already arranging for their big excursion to New Orleans in May.

Everybody Says So.

Cascara Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, clearing the entire system, dispelling colds, headache, fever, indigestion, constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. today; 10c, 50c, 1.00. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

There is again talk of organizing the Pennyrile Baseball League next year.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY AND ACTIVE gentlemen or ladies to travel for responsible, established house in Kentucky. Monthly \$50.00, plus expenses. Position steady. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept. R., Chicago.

It is well nigh a certainty that Lexington will have a new theater.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascara Candy Cathartic. 10c or 50c. If C. C. C. fails to cure, druggists refund money.

Better Than A Klondike Gold Mine.

Good health is priceless when once lost. When you have a slight cold or cough invest 25c in a bottle of Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam, the return is greater than a half interest in an Alaska gold mine, as gold cannot buy lost health. Beware of a slight cold.

No-To-Bac For Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed blood-purifier, cures, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, \$1. All druggists.

Minnesota has established State Schools of Agriculture for girls.

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WILLIE BOURLAND KILLED.

Endeavoring to Jump on a Moving Train in the Earlington Yards.

HIS DEATH WAS INSTANTANEOUS

Tuesday night within a few minutes of midnight Willie Bourland, a popular and lovable Earlington boy just merging into manhood, met a sad and violent death, being crushed and instantly killed between a running train and the passenger platform at this place. He was trying to jump on a moving caboose, followed by other cars, missed his hold, caught the railing about the caboose platform and was thrown between the moving cars and the platform. His death was instantaneous. Willie had been employed as night caller for the L. & N. railroad for some time past. Just before the accident he and Artie Beall and Deagan McGrath, both the latter boys younger than Willie, heard the switch engine coming and ran out to get a ride. Willie was first to try and he was killed before the eyes of the other boys.

Willie Bourland was a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bourland, and was born July 30, 1879. He was a sunny faced, friendly boy of cheerful disposition, full of vigorous good health and good humor. His father, who was for years the honored and trusted town marshal of Earlington and a terror to evil doers, died in June 1887. Willie's death leaves his mother and two sisters, Miss Minnie, teacher in the Earlington public school, and Miss Alice, who for several years has been a compositor in THE BEE office. H. C. Bourland of Earlington, and W. E. Bourland of Dixon, are uncles of the deceased.

The funeral services were held at the residence on Farnen Avenue yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. C. Hall, and the interment at Earlington Cemetery after the arrival of the 4 o'clock train which brought Mr. Bourland of Dixon and Mr. Davis of Evansville, both uncles of the deceased.

The bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of the whole community.

This Tells Where Health May be Found.

And that is more important than making money. If your blood is impure, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine for you. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, rheumatism, catarrh, and all other diseases originating in or promoted by impure blood and low state of the system.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure sick headache.

Celebration at Cadiz.

Cadiz, Ky., Jan. 1, 1898.—The colored citizens of Trigg county for the purpose of celebrating the day in which the emancipation of the slaves of the United States went into effect. Despite the inclemency of the weather the crowd was large and enthusiastic. The meeting was presided over by Rev. Terry with Prof. Bookman as secretary. Miss Effie Thompson read the Proclamation of Emancipation. R. D. Watkins delivered an address on the "Life of Lincoln" that set the house wild with applause. G. W. Darden delivered an address on a chapter in slavery. Prof. J. E. Perkins on the leaders of men and many other addresses were delivered, among which was that of Dr. McRidley favoring the three trustee system, arguing that the office of trustee is the only elective office in Kentucky that a colored man might hold unmolested, and if it is abolished he will have no control of his own schools. The house passed a resolution to memorialize the legislature to retain the three trustee system, and adjourned to meet January 1st, 1899.

MR. STABLER SAYS

Local Treatment for Catarrh Does No Good.

Mr. E. M. Stabler, Payne, Ohio, writes: "I had catarrh of the head, I tried a local catarrh remedy and it did me no good. I tried two different catarrh remedies and they did me no good. I tried a catarrh balm and it did me no good; our home doctor and my medicine did me no good. I tried a Dr. Wayne doctor and he did me no good. I gave them all up for they were doing me no good. All they were after was my money, and they got it and that was all they wanted. Then I got a Pe-ru-na. I read it all through and saw that Pe-ru-na was highly recommended for catarrh. I took eight bottles and they cured me sound and well. I am fifty nine years old and I can do a good day's work right along. I think Pe-ru-na is the best medicine that was ever got up for catarrh. I think every one who has catarrh should use it, as I believe it will do the same for others as it has done for me."

Send to the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio for Dr. Hartman's free book on catarrh. Ask your druggists for a free Pe-ru-na Almanac for 1898.

A Kentucky man has married the granddaughter of the girl who refused him.

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MR. J. L. WEIR.

Of Lebanon, Tenn., Formerly of This County, is Burned Out.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 31.—The fire which originated in the bakery of Pierce & Wilson, on East Main street, in Lebanon, thirty miles from Nashville, last midnight destroyed eight of the principal business houses in the town. The losses aggregate \$75,000; insurance \$70,000.

Mr. J. L. Weir, formerly of Hopkins county Kentucky, and a brother of W. H. Weir, of Hanover, Ky., doing a large merchandise business here for some years, was burned out with others. Mr. Weir's loss is not great. He had \$18,000 insurance and saved about \$4,000 of his stock.

Persons who are troubled with indigestion will be interested in the experience of Wm. H. Penn, chief clerk of the railway mail service at Des Moines, Iowa, who writes: "It gives me pleasure to testify to the merits of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For two years I have suffered from indigestion, and am subject to frequent attacks of pain in the stomach and bowels. One or two doses of this remedy never fails to give perfect relief. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Ben T. Robinson Drug Store, Earlington; Ben T. Robinson, Morton's Gap, George King, St. Charles.

LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS.

Mr. D. J. Heffernan, who will be one of Sheriff Bell's deputies, was presented with a gold watch by his associates in the L. & N. shops, where Mr. Heffernan was employed for twenty years.—Louisville Post.

Walter R. Hill has been appointed Traveling Freight Agent of the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis railroad, effective January 1. His headquarters will be in Louisville. Mr. Hill is a brother of Mr. Edgar Hill, of the same road, and was formerly agent of the Merchants' Dispatch at Evansville.

Cloverport, Ky., Dec. 30.—The new Texas depot, which was lately being completed, was robbed last night of \$700 worth of goods. No clue to the robbery has yet been ascertained. The following articles were taken: One package containing two overcoats and a dress coat; two packages of medicine and a grocery drummer's valise. The package drawer was torn open but no money secured.

Supt. Martin will inspect the St. Louis and Henderson divisions this week for the first time.

When a new man takes charge on a railroad changes generally occur and this is no exception in the case of the St. Louis division.

Dispatcher Jorgenson, of the Illinois Central, now located at Paducah, made relative a visit here last week.

Claude Smith was installed agent at Slaughterhouse last Friday. Claude is a good boy and is the right one for the place.

Master of Trains Devney spent several days at Nashville last week on business of great importance to the railroad company.

Section foreman Deering was a caller on foreman Henry last Sunday.

After spending a week with relatives and friends at Guthrie and other points, Operator Fawcett returned to work on the 1st.

It was a foregone conclusion that the people of Nashville would not vote in favor of the Crawford railroad, there no great interest in the matter. The railroad boys, many of them not even registered so they would be allowed a vote.

Some of the Tennessee officials have evidently an eye open for business. Not satisfied with raising the tax on railroads several hundred thousand dollars a year they had the gall to ask the city of Nashville to vote \$300,000 for another railroad that they might then prey upon.

Conductor J. B. Harris after spending a vacation among friends and relatives at Lexington, is back again at work.

Douglas O'Brien, son of foreman L. H. O'Brien, has gone back to school in Alabama.

There is said to be a love affair back of that trouble that took place between two of the railroad boys last week.

Yard switchman Spencer is back from a visit to relatives at Owensboro and Robards.

Clay Woodbridge visited relatives and friends at Crofton on the 1st.

Brakeman Rosser, who fell from a car and was severely injured sometime ago is now able to be up and on the road to recovery.

Supervisors Sullivan and Davis were called to Evansville last week to assist the roadmaster in making out monthly and yearly reports.

On account of the holidays business was not so good last week, but the prospects are bright for the future.

Brakeman McDaniels who recently had one of his legs run over by a car is improving, and the doctors hope to let him out, although they have been compelled to take out part of the bone.

Last Sunday night at brakeman Weber was in the act of making a coupling between two cars at Henderson his foot was caught between two rails and he was thrown under the wheels and instantly killed. The unfortunate man was one of Conductor Leachey's crew and was the second one the crew to be injured that day. The other man fell from a car but escaped without serious injury.

George Greer, who has been acting in the capacity of an engineer on the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis road, was today appointed as traveling engineer for the road. This office is just inaugurated. Greer is popular and deserving of the promotion.—Louisville Post.

The Evansville & Terre Haute has just completed the filling of the great washout that occurred at Hazelton on March 10, and which caused a wreck in which several lives were lost. Ten thousand carloads of dirt have been dumped into the space, and the work has been going on without interruption day and night. Before the washout the opening for White river was 1,084 feet in width; now it is 1,584. In making the improvement a heavy grade at that point has been done away with.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—The Railway Age makes the following statement of receipts and expenditures for 1897: "No year since 1897 has shown so few roads or so small a mileage confessing insolvency, while compared with the record for any one of five years immediately preceding '97 the list of receiverships in the last year is surprisingly small, in respect to the number of lines, mileage and capital involved. In 1893, no less than seventy-four companies with 29,340 miles of road and \$1,781,000,000 of bonds and stock, defaulted in their obligations and were turned over to the control of the courts. In the year 1897 the number of similarly unfortunate road was eighteen, their mileage was 1,537 and their capitalization less than \$93,000,000. In 1896 the number of roads was thirty-four, their mileage 3,441 capitalization \$275,597,000.

The Big Four, beginning January 1, will require all firemen, rear brakemen, yard firemen and switchmen to carry regulation watches.

Pure blood is absolutely necessary for perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true blood purifier, and great health giver.

CITY OFFICIALS.

The Old Board Becomes New Again and Begins the Business of the New Year. No Change in City Officers.

Clerk's Statement of the City's Financial Affairs.

The old Board of Councilmen for the City of Earlington met Monday night, closed its business for 1897 and adjourned. In a few minutes Police Judge Charles Cowell was introduced with ceremony and addressed the assembly with a few well selected oaths, administered officially of course,—made the old Board new again, and the new Board convened with Mayor Burr in the chair to transact the business of its first meeting.

All members of the Board were present and sworn except Mr. Jno. B. Atkinson, who was out of the city. Frank B. Arnold was re-elected City Treasurer, and Paul M. Moore was re-elected City Clerk. Both were present and offered their bonds in \$1,000 each, which were pronounced satisfactory, and they were sworn in and entered at once upon the duties of their offices. John T. Barnett was re-elected City Marshal.

The reports of the various officials were presented and approved by the Council. The report of the City Clerk, showing the receipts and disbursements of the city for the year, appears below, giving an itemized and tabulated statement of the City's financial affairs.

Some things are interesting to note, by comparison with the previous year. One especially, the fines collected during the year 1897 much more than double in amount those collected in 1896.

Now note the almost insignificant amount expended, less than \$35 for "rock pile expense" and credit the increase in collections to the wholesome fear the boys entertained of the "rock pile," and the story is told. Another item of interest is the very small amount expended, for extra Police force during the year, only \$27.50—and Earlington is noted for its good order. Some material street improvements have been made, notably the new crossings at the corner of Main and Robinson and the paving work in front of the Parochial School building. The new iron bridge on West Main will be put in place in a short while and will be an improvement of which our people will be proud.

Financial statement, city of Earlington for year 1897:

Receipts.

Cash in Treasury, January 1, 1897, \$113.01

Taxes Collected during year 1897, 1898

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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

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